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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Intelligence *Eup*

SUBJECT: Proposed Foreign Travel [REDACTED]

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1. Name and Title of Traveler

[REDACTED] GS-10, Deputy Chief, North Korea Station,  
China-North Korea Branch, Eastern Geographic Division, Imagery  
Exploitation Group, National Photographic Interpretation Center.

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2. Purpose and Date of Travel

To attend the Eighth U.S. Army (EUSA) Republic of Korea (ROK)  
Army Order of Battle Conference to be held in Seoul, Korea, and  
to visit the imagery analysts at the [REDACTED] and  
Commander in Chief Pacific component commands, Hawaii; 12-26 April 1970.

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a. Eighth United States Army (EUSA)/Republic of Korea (ROK)  
Army Order of Battle Conference

[REDACTED] has been invited by [REDACTED]  
DIAAP 4A3, to attend the EUSA/ROK conference in order to provide  
PI intelligence on North Korea Ground Order of Battle equipment  
and associated facilities.

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The EUSA/ROK Order of Battle Conference is held on a  
quarterly basis and is hosted by either the Republic of Korea  
Army or the Eighth United States Army. The purpose of the  
conference is to discuss and evaluate current Table of  
Organization and Equipment estimates with particular interest  
in both armor activity immediately above the demarcation line  
and the acquisition of tactical surface-to-surface missiles  
by the ground forces. As reported by DIAAP, the conference has  
proven quite effective in the past because it has afforded  
numerous opportunities to discuss new intelligence data, new  
reporting procedures, and to exchange views on analytical methods  
between analysts directly involved with the North Korean problem.

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b. Visit to Other Organizations

Because of the current high interest in North Korean Ground Order of Battle in both the United States and various military commands in the Far East, it is proposed that [REDACTED] be permitted to visit with imagery analysts at the 67RTS in Yakota, Japan, Commander in Chief Pacific (CINCPAC) component commands, United States Army Pacific (USARPAC), Fleet Intelligence Center Pacific (FICPAC) and Pacific Air Force (PACAF) Pearl Harbor, Hawaii for discussions of problems of mutual concern. This can be accomplished prior to the conference in Seoul, Korea. These contacts would be most valuable to

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[REDACTED] in order that he may ascertain the field's use of the published NPIC Korean Ground Order of Battle reports. Also, it would enable him to more effectively evaluate the possible needs of various field commands in regards to services provided by NPIC.

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3. Assistance which may be required from covert overseas installations

No contact is expected unless the [REDACTED] indicates a meeting would be of interest to him.

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5. Clearances Required

The Security Branch, NPIC will arrange for certification of clearances as required.

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PROPOSED ITINERARY

<u>DAY</u>	<u>DESTINATION</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>
12 April	Lv - Washington, D.C.	travel
13	Ar - Honolulu, Hawaii	CINCPAC
14		USARPAC
		PACAF
		FICPAC
15	Lv - Honolulu, Hawaii	
16		
17	Lv - Yakota, Japan	
18	Ar - Seoul, ROK	
19	Seoul, ROK	
20	Discussion	Army Intelligence Units
21	Conference	CIA
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24	Conference	
25	Lv - Seoul, ROK	
26	Ar - Washington, D.C.	

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